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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Rian R. Maloney  
Serial No. : 10/616,117  
Filed : July 9, 2003  
Title : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ONLINE COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A  
CHECK SORTER AND A CHECK PROCESSING SYSTEM

Art Unit : 3653  
Examiner : Joseph C. Rodriguez

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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RESPONSE IN REPLY TO ACTION OF AUGUST 20, 2004

In response to the Office Action mailed August 20, 2004, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following comments and amendments to the claims.

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